



In re Application of: SHIMIZU et al.
 Application No. 09/827,346
 Filed: April 6, 2001
 For: FLAME RETARDING POLYPROPYLENE FIBER AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF...

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 Customer Window, Mail Stop - Amendment
 Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03
 Arlington, VA 22202

April 30, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the subject application.

☐ small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
DUE DATE: May 26, 2004
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☒ for an one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee of \$110.00.

☐ petition for an extension of time is NOT necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1135 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- (1) Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- (2) Remarks/arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.